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DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.182 TO CHANGE INVENTOR'S NAME

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Dear Sir:

I, Junko Hirayama, resident and citizen of Japan, have married and changed my name from **Junko Ohshima** to **Junko Hirayama** since the present application was filed on June 7, 2000.

I attest to the fact that I am the same inventor who is listed as Junko Ohshima on the filing receipt dated August 1, 2000.

I, Junko Hirayama, further attest to the fact that I am the same person identified as Junko Ohshima in all documents associated with the present divisional application including the recorded assignment (reel/frame: 010271/0420) recorded 9/23/1999 for Parent Application Serial No. 09/401,739.

Furthermore, as one of the inventors of the present invention, I request that my name be printed as "Junko Hirayama" in the issued patent of the present application.

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Date August 23, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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